

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Steven P. Bermes) Art Unit: 3724
Serial No.: 10/078,981)
Filed: February 20, 2002) Examiner: Stephen Choi
Title: PROCESS AND TOOL FOR CUTTING)
MONOFILAMENT LINE)

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PATENTS TRADEMARKS

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 CFR 1.136

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed December 9, 2004. A check for the extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)) is enclosed herewith. An Amendment in response to the December 9, 2004 Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith. Please charge any additional fees due, or credit any overpayment, to deposit account No. 16-0248.

Respectfully submitted,

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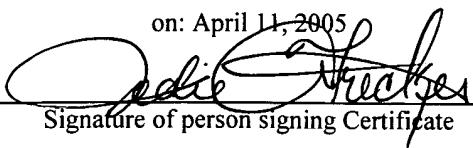
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